

RUSSIANS GAIN IN GREAT SWEEP BEYOND BRODY

Official Report Indicates an Advance of 12 More Miles Into Galicia.

REGIMENTS CAPTURED.

Twenty-One Officers and 914 Men Taken at Another Point on Battle Line.

PESTOGRAD, July 31.—After seven fighting around Brody the Russian forces have thrust their way forward again, this time taking ground from the Teutons up to the River Goral and Bereth. The War Office statement to-day made this announcement:

[This would indicate an advance of about twelve miles into Galicia from Brody.]

Following is the text of the Russian official statement:

"In the region northeast and southeast of Baranovichi a fierce artillery duel is taking place. "Enemy" aeroplanes dropped bombs on the stations Datzmire and Isalauv.

"On the River Stokhod our forces went forward. At one of the bends in this river in the course of our attack we have taken among other prisoners the entire Thirty-first Honved Regiment, with the regimental commander and his entire staff.

"At other places on the Stokhod we took twenty-one officers and 914 rank and file and four machine guns.

"In the direction of Kael fierce fighting continues.

"In the Brody area we are pursuing the enemy, and have reached the Rivers Graberki and Bereth.

BERLIN, July 31.—Describing the Russian fighting, the War Office said to-day that between Wlonies and Turgu southward and also on both sides of the Lipa, the Russians were again repulsed with heavy losses. Near Zarazca the Muscovite troops penetrated, but a counter-attack drove them back.

In this sector 1,389 prisoners were taken yesterday.

Killed by Brewery Motor Truck.

William Walsh of No. 248 East One Hundred and Twenty-first Street was instantly killed this morning at One Hundred and Twenty-first Street and First Avenue by a motor truck of the Jacob Ruppert estate.

Paul of No. 127 First Avenue, Walsh stepped from the northwest corner directly in the path of the truck. He was fifty-six years old.

Revolution Breaks Out in China.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 31.—Hankow, China, to-day was in the hands of a revolutionary mob and great quantities of property were being burned according to cable advices received here by the Robert Dollar Steamship Company from its Hankow office. No details were given.

Many natives were killed and some Russian women injured before foreign volunteers checked the uprising.

British Prize Court Condemns Seized Coffee.

LONDON, July 31.—Holding coffee to be a foodstuff, Sir Samuel Thomas Evans, President of the Prize Court, condemned to-day in that court 3,000 sacks of coffee shipped from America to Gothenburg on the Swedish steamers Indalene and Sydland. The court decided that the cargoes were in reality intended for Germany.

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Listen! Are You a Left-Handed Genius? Or Are You Just Plain Southpaw Brute? Anyway, Can You Join Order of Ehud?



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Disprove, Theory That
Port Side Performers,
From Julius Caesar to
Rube Marquard and K.
O. Brown, Have Unusual
Qualities.

Methodist Clergyman
Brings Up Interesting
Problem in Physiology
When He Organizes a
Society of Left-Handed-
ers, Named After King
David's Most Famous
Fork-Handed General.

By Nizola Greeley-Smith.

Are you a genius?

The question is a mere formality, a trifling preliminary to a second inquiry which will settle the first.

Are you left-handed?

If you are, you belong among the Knights and Ladies of the Order of Ehud, an organization founded by the Rev. William F. Frye, a Methodist clergyman who believes that the "left-handed person is always something of a genius—never an eccentric or a fool."

Ehud, according to Dr. Frye, was a left-handed General in King David's army and the most renowned warrior of the tribe of Benjamin. In support of his theory that left-handedness is a mark of genius, the clergyman has cited as celebrated southpaws, Julius Caesar, Hans Holbein, the great Dutchman who painted hands so marvellously; Queen Victoria and Rube Marquard. This motley gathering of celebrities should convince persons of the most widely varying tastes of the advantage of being left-handed.

"King Alfonso of Spain and the Crown Prince of Germany are both eligible for membership in the Order of Ehud. So are Howard Chandler Christy, illustrator, and Robert Henri, painter. H. Leonardo da Vinci painted equally well with either hand, and the crookedness of Mona Lisa's smile has been attributed sometimes to the fact that he painted part of it with his right hand and part with the left, and did not let his right hand know what his left hand was doing.

"For many years I have made a study of the left-handed," Dr. Frye declared, in announcing the foundation of the Order of Ehud. "Nurses, parents and teachers punish children in an effort to make them use the right hand rather than the left. I, myself, was punished for being left-handed. This is wrong. Some of the finest work of the pen and brush has issued from the left hand. The left-handed person is an argument for achievement and departure from ruts and commonplace things. He is always original and far from being looked upon with pity should be credited with the potentiality of genius.

"Man became a right-handed animal through centuries of fighting in which he had to keep the left hand free to defend, and protect his heart, carrying his weapon in his right hand. A curious fact is that young babies are generally intrinsically left-handed. This is because the mother unless she is left-handed herself, carries a baby with his head resting against her left breast, consequently, with its right hand next to her body. The baby grasps with his free left at objects that attract him and unless checked by the mother would grow up left-handed."

Now I have excellent personal reasons for wanting to believe in the Rev. Dr. Frye's theory of the genius of the left-handed. Nevertheless, it seems only fair to say that Dr. Frye, a German physiologist, declared after an investigation of several thousand cases of left-handedness that the proportion of mentally inferior men among those who use the right hand or both hands. Dr. Frye found that left-handedness is inherited by three times as many boys as girls, a fact which should do much to convince the male half of the population and tell Anti-Suffragists that left-handedness is a sign of genius.

According to Dr. Felix Regnault, however, your right hand is an artist and your left hand is a brute. The right hand was chosen by nature for works of skill, says this physician, because it is controlled by the left side of the brain, which is better sup-

plied with blood by the carotid arteries.

Animals, according to Dr. Regnault, are ambidextrous, because with them there is no division of labor as with man. He adds that he has never seen a really ambidextrous person; that is, he has never found a human being who used both hands equally well. Among pianists the most delicate work is always reserved for the right hand. With musicians the left hand is the mechanical hand, the right is the artistic. Right-handedness is attributed to the predominance of the left hemisphere of the brain and its better blood supply. The child uses his right hand naturally because at the moment he begins to use the hemispheres of the brain the left one is more fitted than the right to direct a difficult or painful task.

Of every million persons born about 20,000 are left-handed. Now, it is quite evident that there are not 30,000 geniuses among every million inhabitants of the earth. There are not thirty; there are not three.

Figures, therefore, do not tend to support the Rev. Dr. Frye's belief in "the universal genius of the southpaw. The fact that there are so many left-handed pitchers may throw some light on the Regnault theory that the left hand has the brute strength of the firm. The left-handed are well represented in all the fields of sport. Perhaps Knockout Brown is the best known left-handed prizefighter, though I am informed by competent authorities that Al McCoy and Charlie White are southpaw fighters.

The evidence I have adduced for or against the genius of the left-handed is purely circumstantial. To prove or disprove the case, I go back to my first question:

Are YOU left-handed?

THREE STEAMERS SUNK.

Lloyds Announces Loss of the Dandolo, of 4,977 Tons.

LONDON, July 31.—The Italian steamship Dandolo, of 4,977 tons gross, has been sunk, according to an announcement made to-day at Lloyds Shipping Agency.

Lloyds also announced the sinking of the British steamship Claudia, of 1,114 tons gross, and of the Norwegian schooner Mars.

The Dandolo was formerly the Mugliano and was built at Spezia in 1908. She was 216 feet long, 48 feet beam and 22 feet deep. Venice was her home port.

Passengers Leave the Konigin Wilhelmina in Lifeboats.

LONDON, July 31.—The Dutch mail steamship Konigin Wilhelmina has struck a mine near the North Hinder Lightship, says a despatch from the Hague to Reuters Telegram Company. The passengers left the vessel in the lifeboats and made for the lightship.

The Wilhelmina was a steel paddle boat and plied between Flushing and Rotterdam. The vessel was of 1,564 tons gross, 320 feet long, 35 feet beam and 16 feet deep. She was built at Glasgow in 1915.

Oldest Odd Fellow Dies.

HARTFORD, CONN., July 31.—Ellish H. Miller of Bristol, a retired toy manufacturer, died in a hospital here yesterday, aged eighty-five. He was believed to be one of the oldest Odd Fellows in the country, having been a member of the fraternity sixty-four years. He leaves two sons, W. H. Miller, editor of the Bristol Press, and Francis T. Miller, an author.

HUGHES ASSAILED IN THE SENATE FOR QUITTING THE BENCH

Senator Walsh Calls His Action a Deadly Blow at the Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Senator Walsh of Montana, administration leader in the Upper House, observed "Hughes notification day" in the Senate with a spirited attack on the Republican candidate's quitting of the bench for the political arena this afternoon. Senator Townsend of Michigan, a Republican, responded with an equally vigorous reply.

Declaring Hughes's action the "most deadly blow" ever directed at public confidence in the Supreme Court, Walsh asserted that if he were elected no case like that of the Danbury hatmakers would ever be decided but that the public would wonder what the ambition of some powerful member of the court had to do with the question.

He opposed a constitutional amendment by Senator Thomas of Colorado, however, designed to prevent such candidacies, because he said the coming election would be an effective referendum of the country's sentiment.

"In the nominations at Chicago," said the Senator, "a tradition was broken which had acquired, as it was supposed, the force and vigor of a Constitutional mandate.

"One Chief Justice sullied his fame by intruding to secure a nomination first from one political party and then from another. But his successor dignifiedly rejected every suggestion that he become a candidate.

"Justice Hughes felt impelled to take the same view when friends wanted him to become a candidate in 1912. In a letter to Rabbi Wise, he said: 'A Judge of the Supreme court should not be available, though he is nominally eligible for elective offices. The Supreme Court must not be dragged into politics, and no man is as essential to his country's welfare as is the unstained integrity of the courts.'"

Walsh quoted Prof. Taft as having eulogized this decision.

"There is no crisis in the nation's affairs. The crisis is in a political party, not in the nation. Justice Hughes was nominated to save his party, not the country."

Townsend answered that the attack was the effort of men desperate for argument against a formidable opponent, against whom it never had been charged as a court member he had swayed one half's breadth from even-handed justice.

\$2,000,000 PENSION FUND TO AID SWIFT'S WORKERS

CHICAGO, July 31.—Establishment of a pension fund of \$2,000,000 for the benefit of their employees was announced to-day by Swift & Co., packers. The company is to furnish all the money. About 30,000 persons, \$300 of them in Chicago, are eligible to come under the benefits.

DUTCH MAIL SHIP HITS MINE.

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German Machine Attempts a New Raid on the British East Coast.

LONDON, July 31.—The second raid within a week of the east coast of England by a Zeppelin airship was made this morning. An official statement announcing the raid says:

"At 5.15 o'clock this morning one of our aeroplanes pursued and attacked a Zeppelin thirty miles off the east coast. The pilot had fired more than two trays of ammunition into the Zeppelin when he was temporarily incapacitated by a portion of his machine gun flying off and stunning him. The Zeppelin was nowhere to be seen when the pilot regained consciousness. He was therefore forced to return to his station."

ENGLISH UNIONIST IS APPOINTED IRISH CHIEF SECRETARY

No Successor to Wimborne as Lord Lieutenant to Be Named—Why Kelly Is Kept Out.

LONDON, July 31.—Henry Edward Duke, a barrister and Unionist Member of Parliament for Exeter, was to-day appointed to be the new Chief Secretary of Ireland, in succession to Augustine Birrell. The new Chief Secretary will be given a seat in the cabinet.

Mr. Duke has been Recorder of Devonport since 1900. He was elected to Parliament after a previous candidature had been unavailing on petition. He is sixty-two and is known as one of the most brilliant lawyers in England.

No new Lord Lieutenant of Ireland will be appointed to succeed Lord Wimborne, who resigned after the outbreak of the Dublin rebellion.

There will be no reduction in military forces held in Ireland for the present, Premier Asquith announced to-day during a continued debate on the Irish question. He said, however, that there would be no martial government, the civil executive system, responsible to Parliament, being continued for the time being.

The debate was opened by John Dillon, Independent Irish Nationalist, who charged Lord Lansdowne with responsibility for breaking off plans for settlement of the Irish question. In reply the Premier declared he had not yet abandoned hope for the adjustment of the home rule question.

In reply to a question in the House of Commons to-day by Alfred Byrne, Nationalist Member for the Harbor Division of Dublin, as to whether any difficulty would be placed in the way of Irish Members desiring to go to America to collect funds for the relief of dependents of persons shot in North King Street, Dublin, in the fighting during the rebellion there, Herbert L. Samuel, the Home Secretary, said there was no desire to place any difficulty in the way of the collection of such a fund. Application for a passport would be considered on its merits.

Answering a further question by Mr. Byrne as to why Thomas Hughes Kelly of New York, Treasurer of the Irish Relief Fund, and his assistant, Joseph Smith, were not allowed to land from the steamer Umbagog, the Home Secretary said: "There is no objection to persons from America assisting in the administration of relief funds for Ireland and the individuals were admitted for this purpose. In the case of one of the men mentioned in the question, whose occupation was refused on the ground that he was engaged in business hostile to this country. The other man was so associated with the collection of such a fund, that he was refused permission to land."

The American Consul at Liverpool has reported to the Embassy here that the sailing of the Philadelphia has been postponed until Tuesday.

ALLIES HAVE SEIZED 245 ENEMY SHIPS

British Heads List With 144 Vessels, All of Which Are in Service.

LONDON, July 31.—Lord Robert Cecil, Minister of War Trade, informed the House of Commons this afternoon that 144 vessels flying the flag of hostile countries were seized in British ports, 12 in French ports, 30 in Russian ports and 55 in Italian ports. All the ships seized in British and Italian ports, he said, were now being employed.

A considerable number of vessels also had been captured off the west coast of the United States, while 71 hostile steamers and three sailing ships were seized by Portugal. The latter will be employed when repairs have been completed.

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SWEDES MINE THE SEA.

Placed to Halt British Ships, Says Berlin Telegram Agency.

BERLIN, July 31.—(By wireless to Sayville).—"According to the Swedish newspaper Politiken," says the Overseas News Agency to-day, "the mines recently placed by the Swedish Government will make it impossible in future for British steamships to return to England from the Baltic."

Up to this time British vessels had sailed to the coast with Swedish territorial waters, while they will now be forced into international waters on their journey.

Russian Ruler and Army Chief Holding Conference at the Front



FLOATING BOXES OF EXPLOSIVES MENACE SHIPS

Seven Patrol Boats Sent Out to Scour Waters Around Manhattan.

The serious menace to navigation in the Bay and North and East Rivers by floating boxes of explosives spurred the harbor police to special vigilance to-day. The danger to vessels plying in the waters in and about Manhattan was brought home to the harbor police this morning with the discovery of a box of smokeless powder floating off Seventy-second Street and the North River. The box sank before the police launch could recover it.

Workmen employed by Snare & Triest, contractors, on a job at Pier 17, North River, foot of Barclay Street, saw a strange box floating past this afternoon. They fished it out, and found that it was full of nitro-glycerine.

Believing that there may be scores if not hundreds of cases of explosives floating on the tide, Capt. James W. Hallock of Harbor Precinct A this morning ordered out seven patrol boats to scour the waters roundabout in search of boxes and cases. Within a few minutes after the patrol boats left the Battery one of them recovered two boxes of smokeless powder floating a short distance from Bedloe's Island.

Altogether Harbor Precinct A has recovered more than twenty-five tons of explosives, most of it consisting of projectiles taken from a scow that sank about 600 feet north of Ellis Island. The scow sank in shallow water, leaving its deck awash.

Warnings have been sent out to the commanders of all excursion boats and other craft plying in these waters ordering them to keep a sharp lookout for floating explosives.

The sight-seeing craft that ply about Manhattan Island were fairly swamped with business. There are many thousands who wish to visit the scene of the explosion, but the police launches are warning them away.

One of the patrol boats has been stationed at the entrance of the channel leading to Black Tom. If there are any explosives floating about the tide will bring them through the channel, where they will be captured by the police.

Fire Commissioner Robert Adamson has issued the following public notice:

"Great danger lies in the possibility of careless handling of explosives that have floated to Manhattan Island and are still being washed up to the shores by the tide. We have received reports of children tampering with metal lined boxes of a stuff that looks like dirty brown spaghetti, but is really smokeless powder.

"The Police and Fire Departments are doing their best to prevent accidents following yesterday's explosion, and the co-operation of the public is earnestly solicited. Persons finding on the water front packages they do not understand or know to be dangerous should notify the police or the nearest fire company."

Packing House Strikers Win.

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., July 31.—The striking employees of Armour & Co. and Swift & Co. will return to work by Tuesday, it was announced to-day. The companies agreed to reinstate the strikers, to discharge strike-breakers and not to discriminate against union men.

BRITISH ARMY TROOPS TAKE TOWN FROM TURKS

Portuguese Land and Naval Forces Operating Against Germans in East Africa.

LONDON, July 31.—An Arab band dispatched to the Helles coast of the Bosporus after the fall of Jeddah has captured the Turkish town and port of Yenik, says a despatch from Cairo to Reuters Telegram Company. The troops in the Turkish garrisons were made prisoners and guns and munitions were captured.

Portuguese naval forces have been operating in East Africa, though not on a large scale.

A Portuguese flotilla made a reconnaissance on the left bank of the Rovuma (a river separating German East Africa from Portuguese East Africa) on July 20. Tugs conducting the force were fired on by the Germans with machine guns, two Portuguese being killed and five wounded.

Later the Portuguese again attacked the Germans, who were strongly entrenched on the right bank, but they had to retire owing to the state of the river after suffering considerable losses, including a captain. The Germans in this theatre are putting up an energetic defense.

Beak Assassinate of Woman.

Detectives from the Seventh Branch Detective Bureau, Brooklyn, are looking for four well dressed young men who were seen yesterday afternoon walking along the beach at Rockaway Beach. According to the story told by the young woman who was walking along the beach, the men set upon her, she got down and started to run, but they caught her and held her back. She was then taken to a policeman, who was then taken to the Kings County Hospital.

Count Themselves Among Victims of Alleged Swindler.

Dressed in full clerical costume, a young man of twenty-eight, who gave his name as Philip Henry Craven, No. 320 East Eighteenth Street, was looked over by detectives at Headquarters here to-day, prior to his arraignment in the police court at Stapleton, N. J., on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. Craven, who looks like anything but a swindler, was arrested Saturday by Detective Graham in a drug store at No. 43 First Avenue, Tompkinsville, L. I., after he had solicited and accepted money from both Graham and the druggist in behalf of the Wright Aid Society, No. 43 East One Hundred and Thirty-third Street, Graham, suspicious of the man, had marked the money in advance.

The police say Craven is the same man who swindled the policemen of the Stapleton station out of a considerable sum on July last year. They claim also that he has done two six-month terms in the Workhouse.

HURT IN AUTO CRASH.

Car Rums Down Another After a Tire Blow-Out.

Mrs. Benjamin F. Barnes, widow of a New York banker; her son, Frank, and her sister, Mrs. Lucy J. Falls, all of whom live in Yonkers, were taken to St. John's Riverside Hospital early to-day after being injured in an automobile accident.

The tire blew out at Two Hundred and Sixty-first Street and Broadway, and while Mrs. Barnes was adjusting a new tire at the curb Howard F. Almy of No. 42 Van Cortlandt Park Avenue ran them down with his car. Mrs. Barnes and Mrs. Falls were flung from the tonneau. They were badly bruised. Frank's left leg and right arm were broken. A passing taxi took them to the hospital. Almy was arrested.

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